

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application or previous response to office action:

1. (Currently Amended) A contacting component for manufacturing an electrical connection between a control/regulation device and an actuator, said component comprising

a conductor device onto which a first plastic component and, separately from it, a second plastic component are molded, wherein the conductor device is bendable such that the first plastic component can engage the second plastic component to provide ~~an~~ a single integral contacting component.

2. (Original) The contacting component according to claim 1, wherein the first plastic component and/or the second plastic component has a bending collar around which the conductor device can be bent.

3. (Original) The contacting component according to claim 1, wherein the first plastic component can engage in the second plastic component by means of a snap-in locking device.

4. (Original) The contacting component according to claim 1, wherein the first plastic component in the engaged state has an angle of approximately 90° to the second plastic component.

5-10. (Cancelled).

11. **(Currently Amended)** A contacting component for manufacturing an electrical connection between a control/regulation device and an actuator, said component comprising

a conductor device onto which at least one first plastic component and, separately from it, a second plastic component are molded, said conductor device is bendable such that the first plastic component engages in the second plastic component to provide ~~an~~ a single integral contacting component, wherein the first plastic component and/or the second plastic component has a bending collar around which the conductor device can be bent, the first plastic component can engage in the second plastic component by means of a snap-in locking device, and the first plastic component in the engaged state has an angle of approximately 90° to the second plastic component.

12. **(Currently Amended)** A contacting component for manufacturing an electrical connection, said component comprising:

a conductor onto which first and second plastic components are molded, wherein the conductor is bendable such that the first plastic component can engage the second plastic component via a snap-in locking device to provide ~~an~~ a single integral contacting component.

13. **(NEW)** The contacting component according to claim 12, wherein the first plastic component and/or the second plastic component has a bending collar around which the conductor device can be bent.

14. **(NEW)** The contacting component according to claim 12, wherein the first plastic component in the engaged state has an angle of approximately 90° to the second plastic component.

15. (NEW) The contacting component according to claim 12, wherein the first plastic component comprises a first section and a second section wherein the second section extends from the first section and has an angle of approximately 90° to the first section and said second section receives said second plastic component.

16. (NEW) The contacting component according to claim 1, wherein the first plastic component comprises a first section and a second section wherein the second section extends from the first section and has an angle of approximately 90° to the first section and said second section receives said second plastic component.

17. (NEW) A contacting component for manufacturing an electrical connection between a control/regulation device and an actuator, said component comprising
a conductor device onto which a first plastic component and, separately from it, a second plastic component are molded, wherein the first plastic component comprises a first section and a second section wherein the second section extends from the first section and has an angle of approximately 90° to the first section wherein the conductor device is bendable such that the first plastic component can engage the second plastic component to provide an integral contacting component, wherein and said second section of said first plastic component receives said second plastic component.

18. (NEW) The contacting component according to claim 17, wherein the first plastic component and/or the second plastic component has a bending collar around which the conductor device can be bent.

19. (NEW) The contacting component according to claim 17, wherein the first plastic component can engage in the second plastic component by means of a snap-in locking device.